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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application dated December 20, 2001, enclosed are the following documents:

- 1) This transmittal letter (in duplicate);
- 2) A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;
- 3) A Request for a two-month Extension of Time;
- 4) Three (3) Declarations executed by the inventors; and
- 5) Return Postcard

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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